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To authorize the Raoul Wallenberg-Tribute Committee to establish a monument to honor Raoul Wallenberg on Federal land in the District of Columbia or its environs.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

NOVEMBER 17, 1987

Mr. LANTOS (for himself, Mr. PORTER, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. MICHEL, Mr. COELHO, Mr. LOTT, Mr. ASPIN, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. BIAGGI, Mr. BILBEAY, Mr. BONIOR of Michigan, Mr. BONKER, Mr. BOSCO, Mr. BOULTER, Mrs. BOXER, Mr. BROOMFIELD, Mr. BROWN of California, Mr. BROWN of Colorado, Mr. CARDIN, Mrs. COLLINS, Mr. COURTER, Mr. COYNE, Mr. DELLUMB, Mr. DEBRICK, Mr. DIOGUARDI, Mr. DORNAN of California, Mr. DWYER of New Jersey, Mr. DYMALLY, Mr. EDWARDS of California, Mr. ERDREICH, Mr. FASCELL, Mr. FAUNTROY, Mr. FAZIO, Mr. FORD of Michigan, Mr. FRANK, Mr. FROST, Mr. GARCIA, Mr. GEPHARDT, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. GRADISON, Mr. GREEN, Mr. HAWKINS, Mr. HORTON, Mr. HOWARD, Mr. JEFFORDS, Mr. KEMP, Mr. KONNYU, Mr. LEHMAN of Florida, Mr. LENT, Mr. LEVIN of Michigan, Mr. LEVINE of California, Mr. LOWERY of California, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. MATSUI, Mr. McCLOSKEY, Mr. McGRATH, Mr. MILLER of California, Mr. MINETA, Mr. NEAL, Mr. OWENS of Utah, Mr. PANETTA, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. RODINO, Mr. ROYBAL, Mr. SCHEUER, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. SHAW, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. SMITH of Florida, Mr. SOLARZ, Mr. SUNIA, Mr. TORRES, Mr. VANDER JAGT, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. WEBER, Mr. WEISS, Mr. WOLF, Mr. WOLPE, Mr. WORTLEY, Mr. WYDEN, and Mr. YATES) introduced the following joint resolution; which was referred to the Committee on House Administration

JOINT RESOLUTION

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Whereas, in 1944, the United States, through Secretary of State Cordell Hull, requested the cooperation of the neutral government of Sweden in protecting the lives of Hungarian Jews facing extermination by the Nazis;

Whereas, in the summer of 1944, Raoul Wallenberg went to Hungary at the request of the United States as Secretary of the Swedish Legation in Budapest;

Whereas, with extraordinary courage and with total disregard for the constant danger to himself, Raoul Wallenberg saved the lives of almost 100,000 innocent men, women, and children;

Whereas, with funds and assistance provided by the United States, Raoul Wallenberg provided food, shelter, and medical care to the people he rescued;

Whereas heroic acts of salvation, such as those performed by Raoul Wallenberg, were tragically rare during the massacre of millions of innocent people during World War II;

Whereas, in response to overwhelming public and Congressional support, the President of the United States signed legislation proclaiming Raoul Wallenberg an honorary citizen of the United States on October 6, 1981; and

Whereas it is most fitting and appropriate to recognize the outstanding contributions of Raoul Wallenberg through the establishment of a monument in his honor on Federal land in the District of Columbia or its environs: Now, therefore, be it

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1 *Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives*
2 *of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

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1 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

2 This joint resolution may be cited as the "Raoul Wal-
3 lenberg Monument Resolution".

4 **SEC. 2. ESTABLISHMENT OF MONUMENT.**

5 (a) **IN GENERAL.**—The Raoul Wallenberg Tribute
6 Committee is authorized to establish a monument to honor
7 Raoul Wallenberg on Federal land in the District of Colum-
8 bia or its environs.

9 (b) **COMPLIANCE WITH STANDARDS FOR COMMEMO-**
10 **RATIVE WORKS.**— The establishment of the monument shall
11 be in accordance with the Act entitled "An Act to provide
12 standards for placement of commemorative works on certain
13 Federal lands in the District of Columbia and its environs,
14 and for other purposes", approved November 14, 1986 (40
15 U.S.C. 1001 et seq.).

16 **SEC. 3. PAYMENT OF EXPENSES.**

17 The United States shall not pay any expense of the es-
18 tablishment of the monument.

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